



Attorney's Docket No.: 00635-209001

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Rand Ackroyd  
Serial No. : 10/687,664  
Filed : October 20, 2003  
Title : SPILL-RESISTANT RELIEF VALVE

Art Unit : 3754  
Examiner : Michalsky, Gerald A.

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: